



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7033**
Hiroshi YANAGAWA et al. : Docket No. 2001-0580A
Serial No. 09/853,939 : Group Art Unit 1653
Filed May 11, 2001 : Examiner Rita MITRA
SENSOR PROTEIN AND USE THEREOF **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of July 28, 2004.

The fee of \$450.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.

() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

() Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which

() is enclosed.

() has been previously submitted.

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Respectfully submitted,

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